

KENTUCKY BOARD OF SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY AND AUDIOLOGY
MINUTES
July 11, 2006

A regular Board Meeting of the Kentucky Board of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology was held at the Division of Occupations and Professions 911 Leawood Drive Frankfort, Kentucky on July 11, 2006.

MEMBERS PRESENT

Pamela A. Ison
Alice M. Inman
Bettyruth Bruington
Dr. Victoria C. Graff
Dr. Kevin Kavanagh
Kellie C. Ellis
Bridget Stanfield
Angela Morris

OCCUPATIONS AND PROFESSIONS STAFF

Claude Wagner, Division Director
Wendy Satterly, Division Supervisor
Adriana Lang, Board Administrator

OTHERS PRESENT

Scott Porter, Attorney
Tammy Houchens
Michelle Willhite
Danielle Eckman
Pamela Evans
Aric Young
Kory Morris

Call to Order

Board chairman Ms. Pamela Ison called the meeting to order at 1:01 p.m.

Minutes

A motion was made by Ms. Alice Inman to approve the minutes of the regular scheduled board meeting of June 13, 2006. The motion, seconded by Ms. Bettyruth Bruington, carried.

Financial Statement

The financial statement for July 1, 2005 through May 31, 2006 was presented to the board for review and discussion. A motion was made by Ms. Alice Inman to approve the financial statements as presented. The motion, seconded by Ms. Kellie Ellis, carried.

Licensure Status Report

The board reviewed the Licensure Status report of July 11, 2006.

Old Business

The board reviewed correspondence received from the Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority (KHEAA) regarding information exchange in between KHEAA and the Kentucky Board of Speech Language Pathology and Audiology.

The board reviewed correspondence received from Lonnie Harris regarding CEU fraud. The board requested Mr. Scott Porter to draft correspondence in response to Mr. Harris.

The board reviewed correspondence received from the National Council of State Boards of Examiners for Speech Language Pathology and Audiology (NCSB) regarding the annual conference in Atlanta, GA - October 12, 13 and 14 of 2006. A motion was made by Ms. Angela Morris to approve the NCSB Conference travel expenses for Pamela Ison, Dr. Victoria Graff, Kellie Ellis, Scott Porter and Adriana Lang. The motion, seconded by Ms. Alice Inman, Carried.

Ms. Alice Inman asked staff members for an update on the response from Mr. John Parrish to Ms. Molly Thurman. Ms. Wendy Satterly informed the board that she was not able to find a copy of Mr. Parrish's response and that she requested to retrieve Mr. Parrish's e-mails. Ms. Alice Inman stated that she would follow up with Ms. Thurman to make sure that she received a response.

The board discussed the Maria Salisbury's case and agreed to wait for her response.

The board discussed the Priscilla Corder's case and requested Mr. Scott Porter to draft correspondence to Ms. Corder advising her that her license for Speech Language Pathology- Interim has been suspended effective immediately.

The board discussed with Ms. Tammy Houchens the reason why she failed to renew her license within the renewal deadline. A motion was made by Ms. Alice Inman to allow Ms. Houchens to reinstate her license and audit her annual renewals for the next three years. The motion, seconded by Ms. Bettyruth Bruington, Carried.

The board discussed with Ms. Danielle Eckman the reason why she failed to renew her license within the renewal deadline. A motion was made by Ms. Alice Inman to allow Ms. Eckman to reinstate her license and audit her annual renewals for the next three years. The motion, seconded by Ms. Kellie Ellis, Carried.

The board discussed with Ms. Michelle Willhite the reason why she failed to renew her license within the renewal deadline. A motion was made by Ms. Angela Morris to allow Ms. Willhite to reinstate her license and audit her annual renewals for the next three years. The motion, seconded by Ms. Kellie Ellis, Carried.

The board reviewed Ms. Darlene Fields appeal request. A motion was made by Ms. Alice Inman for Mr. Scott Porter to draft correspondence to Ms. Fields notifying her that the board approved her to reinstate her license and audit her annual renewals for the next three years. The motion, seconded by Ms. Angela Morris, carried.

Mr. Scott Porter asked the terminated licensees present if they needed a letter for their employers and they responded yes. Mr. Porter stated that he would draft correspondence for their employers.

Mr. Scott Porter provided the board a detailed explanation on the Ms. Paula Evans case. Ms. Evans presented the board proof of Continuing Education in response to a letter she recently received from the board's council. The board discussed and approved Ms. Evans annual renewal.

The board reviewed correspondence received from Ms. Sandra Reynolds regarding continuing education requirements. The board requested Mr. Scott Porter to draft correspondence in response to Ms. Reynolds notifying her that her CEU's are acceptable.

New Business

Ms. Bettyruth Bruington thanked the board for the flowers they sent her.

Ms. Pamela Ison informed the board that she sent Mr. John Parrish a \$50.00 gift card on behalf of the board and presented the board with a thank you card she received from Mr. Parrish. The board agreed to collect money among them to pay Mr. Parrish's gift card.

Ms. Angela Morris presented the board information she received from Mr. Marion Caldwell regarding Ms. Linda Schmidt working as an audiologist without holding a Kentucky license. The board requested staff members to send Ms. Schmidt a Cease and Desist letter.

Complaint Committee

2005-004- Dismissed

06-001- Disciplinary action taken, fined amount of \$500.00, one (1) year probation and letter of reprimand. The board requested Mr. Scott Porter to draft correspondence to the licensee.

Application Review

Ms. Alice Inman made a motion, seconded by Ms. Angela Morris and carried, to approve recommendations made from today's meeting for the following applicants for licensure in the appropriate area:

AUDIOLOGY: The board deferred *Eric McDaniel* for further legal review.

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY: *Lisa Adkins, Heather Ash, Andrea Austin, Andrea Bledsoe, Karen Brown, Dana Cochran, Amanda Edmondson, Jessica Gravit, Stacy Greene, Jennifer Guckiean, Paul Hagans, Amanda Haynes, Barbie Kelley, Nicholas Kroeger, Emma Marcum, Courtney Miller, Sarah Oney, Alison A. Sacks, Jennifer L. Sbroyer, Leann Sipple, Tiffany Watts, Karen Wellman and Belinda West.*
The board deferred *Amanda Back, Krystal Reedy and Kresta Wilson* to provide Master's degree transcript, *Angela Erwin* to provide Praxis scores.

SPEECH- LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM: *Jennifer G. Gray, Courtney Hammons, Lindsey Irwin, Lydia Kelly, Candace Kuhl, Christine Lantz, Rikki Lewis, Ashley O'Nan, Shannon Starnes, Jane Stosberg, Tina Vogel and Lisbeth Wellington.*

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY ASSISTANT: *Jacque Abbott and Dana Howard.*

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY ASSISTANT INTERIM: *Megan Miller, Leslie Spillman and Stephanie Willis.*

RENEWAL: *Deborah Watson.*

REINSTATEMENT: *Rebecca Panganinban.*

EXTENSION: *Renee B. Kinder.*

CHANGE IN PLAN OF ACTIVITIES PPE: *Allison Hoggard and Shannon Lambert*.
The board deferred *Kristin Noe* to provide a new PPE form.

Continuing Education

A motion was made by Ms. Alice Inman to accept the recommendations for requests of approval of continuing education hours for today's meeting. Motion, seconded by Ms. Kellie Ellis, carried.

Travel and Per Diem

A motion was made by Dr. Kevin Kavanagh seconded by Ms. Bettyruth Bruington and carried, to approve payment of travel expenses and per diem compensation to eligible members in attendance at today's meeting.

Adjournment

Having no further items of discussion, a motion was made by Dr. Kevin Kavanagh to adjourn the meeting. Motion seconded by Ms. Bridget Stanfield, carried. The meeting adjourned at 2:40 p.m.

Approved


